

EMIGRATION STATISTICS OF IRELAND

FOR THE YEAR

1904.

REPORT AND TABLES SHOWING THE NUMBER, AGES, CONJUGAL CONDITION, AND DESTINATIONS OF THE EMIGRANTS FROM EACH COUNTY AND PROVINCE IN IRELAND DURING THE YEAR 1904; ALSO THE OCCUPATIONS OF THE EMIGRANTS, AND THE NUMBER OF EMIGRANTS WHO LEFT EACH PORT IN EACH MONTH OF THE YEAR.



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OBSERVATIONS

ON

THE EMIGRATION STATISTICS OF IRELAND
FOR THE YEAR 1904

TO HIS EXCELLENCY WILLIAM HUMBLE, EARL OF DUDLEY,

&c., &c., &c.,

LORD LIEUTENANT GENERAL AND GENERAL GOVERNOR OF IRELAND.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY,

I have the honour to submit the Emigration Statistics for Ireland for the year 1904, showing, by Sexes, the ages, occupations, and civil or conjugal condition of the Emigrants, with the ports at which they embarked, and their intended destinations.

From the Returns of the Enumerators it appears that the Emigrants who left Irish ports during the year 1904 numbered 37,415, or 8·5 per 1,000 of the estimated population of Ireland in the middle of the year, being a decrease of 3,244 in comparison with the emigration in 1903. In the year 1904 the number of males who emigrated was 17,524, or 1,779 less than in the previous year, and the number of females 19,891, a decrease of 1,465.

Of the total Emigrants in 1904 there were 36,902 natives of Ireland, and 513 were persons belonging to other countries. In comparison with 1903, the number of Emigrants, natives of Ireland, shows a decrease of 2,857, and the number of persons belonging to other countries a decrease of 357.

Table I in the text shows the number of Emigrants from each Province in the years 1903 and 1904, by Sexes, with the increase or decrease in the latter year. Of the 36,902 natives of Ireland who left the country last year, 4,517, or 8·9 per 1,000 of the population of the Province in 1901, were from Leinster; 12,606, or 11·7 per 1,000, from Munster; 10,156, or 6·4 per 1,000, from Ulster; 9,623, or 14·9 per 1,000, from Connaught; the total number being equal to 8·8 per 1,000 of the population of Ireland in 1901.

Leinster exhibits an increase of 227, Munster a decrease of 2,098, Ulster an increase of 486, and Connaught a decrease of 1,431 Emigrants, in 1904, as compared with the emigration in 1903.

TABLE I.—Showing the Number of Emigrants from each Province, during 1903 and 1904, and the increase or decrease in the latter year.

Provinces	Males.				Females.				Total.			
	1903		1904		1903		1904		1903		1904	
	Increase or Decrease											
Leinster.	2,167	2,310	143	.	2,123	2,207	84	.	4,290	4,517	227	.
Munster.	7,609	5,807	.	1,292	7,693	6,798	.	896	14,704	12,606	.	2,098
Ulster.	5,084	3,398	309	.	4,586	4,763	177	.	9,670	10,156	486	.
Connaught.	4,411	3,655	.	756	6,643	5,568	.	675	11,034	9,623	.	1,431
County un- specified.	.	.	.	71	.	.	71	71	.	.	.	71
Total—Natives of Ireland.	18,671	17,165	.	1,506	21,118	19,737	.	1,381	39,789	36,902	.	2,857
Persons belong- ing to other Countries.	532	359	.	273	238	154	.	84	870	513	.	357
General Total.	19,203	17,524	.	1,779	21,556	19,891	.	1,465	40,659	37,415	.	3,244

Emigration
from Irish
Ports

Number of
Emigrants,
1851-1904.

The Emigration Returns were first collected on the 1st May, 1851. From that date to the 31st of December, 1904, the total number of Emigrants—natives of Ireland—who left Irish ports is 3,997,913,—2,076,072 males, and 1,921,841 females. The following Table (II.) gives the number of Emigrants in each year, and shows that the highest number in any one year, was 190,322, in 1852, and the lowest, 32,241, in 1898. In the decade, from 1866 to 1875, the average number of Emigrants, was 74,667; in the decade, 1856 to 1865, the average annual number amounted to 88,272, and in the four preceding years, from 1852 to 1855, the number averaged 148,985 annually. In 1876 the number fell to 37,587, the lowest number for any of the 26 years, 1851-70. After 1876 it increased steadily, but slowly, for three years to 38,308 in 1877, 41,124 in 1878, and 47,065 in 1879. In 1880 the number rose to 95,517, but it fell to 78,417, in 1881. In 1882, however, an increase of 10,719 took place; there was a further increase in 1883, in which year the Emigrants amounted to 108,724; then a decrease of 32,861 took place, in 1884, compared with 1883, and a decrease of 18,829, in 1885, compared with 1884, followed by an increase of 1,101, in 1886, and a further increase of 19,788, in 1887, in which year the number was 82,923. After 1887 there was a gradual annual decline to 35,896, in 1894; in 1895 the number rose to 48,703; it then fell to 39,995, in 1896; to 32,535, in 1897; and to 32,241 in 1898. It rose to 41,232, in 1899, and to 43,288, in 1900, and fell to 39,613 in 1901; rising to 40,190 in 1902. The number of Emigrants fell to 39,789 in 1903, and to 36,902 in 1904.

TABLE II.—Showing the Number of Emigrants—NATIVES OF IRELAND—in each year, from the 1st of May, 1851,* to the 31st of December, 1904.

Years	No. of Emigrants	Years	No. of Emigrants	Years	No. of Emigrants	Years	No. of Emigrants
1851, (first of May)	152,060	1855,	101,497	1879,	47,065	1893,	48,147
1852,	190,322	1866,	98,467	1880,	95,017	1894,	35,895
1853,	173,148	1867,	82,624	1881,	78,417	1895,	48,703
1854,	140,565	1868,	61,018	1882,	59,136	1896,	38,996
1855,	91,914	1869,	66,568	1883,	108,724	1897,	32,535
1856,	90,781	1870,	74,855	1884,	75,863	1898,	32,341
1857,	95,081	1871,	71,240	1885,	62,084	1899,	41,232
1858,	64,337	1872,	78,102	1886,	63,135	1900,	43,288
1859,	80,599	1873,	90,149	1887,	82,923	1901,	39,613
1860,	84,621	1874,	73,184	1888,	78,684	1902,	40,190
1861,	64,392	1875,	51,462	1889,	70,477	1903,	35,788
1862,	70,117	1876,	37,587	1890,	61,313	1904,	36,902
1863,	117,239	1877,	38,503	1891,	59,623		
1864,	114,169	1878,	41,124	1892,	50,867		
						Total,	3,997,913

* The date at which the collection of these Returns commenced.

Number of
Emigrants
from each
County and
Province.

The number and sex of the Emigrants, from each county and province from the 1st of May, 1851, to the 31st of December, 1904, is shown in Table III. of the text. For the purposes of comparison between the several counties and provinces in Ireland, the per-centages of Emigrants to the population, is also shown.

This Table shows that during the above period 4,048,008 persons emigrated from Irish ports. Of these, 3,997,913 were natives of Ireland, and 45,695 were persons belonging to other countries. The number of natives of Ireland who emigrated (3,997,913) is equivalent to 74.7 per cent. of the average population †; Munster having contributed 1,406,452 persons, being equal to 101.0 per cent. of the average population of the province; Connaught, 659,741, or 79.7 per cent.; Ulster, 1,121,871, or 62.9 per cent.; and Leinster, 698,110, equivalent to 51.8 per cent. of its average population †. In 110,739 cases the county to which the emigrants belonged was not specified in the returns; since 1876, however, this information has been obtained in every case, with the exception of 53 in 1880 and 71 in 1903.

† Calculated on an average of the Census Numbers for 1851, 1861, 1871, 1881, 1891 and 1901.

TABLE III.—Showing, by Sexes, the Number of Emigrants from each Province and County, from the 1st of May, 1851, to the 31st of December, 1904, with the ratio to the average Population.*

Provinces and Counties.	Estimated Average Population *	Emigrants from 1st May, 1851, to 31st December, 1904.			
		Males.	Females.	Total.	Emigrants to every 100 of the Average Population *
PROVINCE OF LEINSTER.					
Carlow County	50,375	16,967	16,121	33,088	66.7
Dublin	418,794	64,036	50,817	114,853	27.4
Kildare	80,105	20,956	16,425	36,591	45.8
Kilkenny	109,593	35,705	35,149	74,854	68.1
King's	79,557	30,398	28,866	59,383	74.6
Longford	63,181	29,516	28,904	58,420	92.6
Louth	82,882	23,347	24,375	48,722	52.6
Meath	96,445	24,608	31,637	66,120	68.6
Queen's	79,584	28,908	28,852	57,754	72.6
Westmeath	78,971	27,259	24,101	51,960	64.2
Wexford	132,781	38,091	34,770	73,861	55.2
Wicklow	76,260	16,487	13,067	29,504	38.7
Total,	1,349,531	367,127	331,983	699,110	51.8
PROVINCE OF MUNSTER.					
Clare County	150,863	76,528	80,519	157,117	104.1
Cork	509,009	272,791	264,182	526,973	103.3
Kerry	197,151	111,348	111,964	223,212	113.2
Limerick	192,905	92,933	90,317	180,270	95.0
Tipperary	222,084	109,839	103,329	213,168	96.0
Waterford	120,045	55,568	48,044	100,712	86.4
Total,	1,393,058	718,097	685,355	1,406,452	101.0
PROVINCE OF ULSTER.					
Antrim County	406,268	161,707	110,776	368,483	64.6
Armagh	166,253	54,351	43,125	97,475	58.6
Down	134,639	58,607	57,386	115,963	86.1
Donegal	212,726	67,242	59,680	136,932	59.7
Fermanagh	293,319	85,830	57,620	143,399	49.9
Leitrim	89,914	28,416	27,072	55,488	61.7
Monaghan	168,631	59,717	46,583	108,300	63.0
Tyrone	107,814	39,302	35,943	75,546	70.0
Total,	1,784,509	618,560	500,811	1,121,871	62.9
PROVINCE OF CONNEMART.					
Galway County	248,816	101,721	112,655	214,376	89.2
Leitrim	91,756	38,211	39,511	77,722	84.7
Mayo	239,664	80,449	79,471	172,920	75.1
Roscommon	136,866	52,861	55,835	108,686	79.4
Sligo	110,431	37,290	41,747	79,037	71.6
Total,	827,532	310,522	349,919	639,741	79.7
<i>County unpecified.</i>		61,766	48,973	110,739	—
Total—NATIVES OF IRELAND.		2,076,072	1,931,811	3,997,883	74.7
<i>Persons belonging to other Countries, who embarked at Irish Ports from 1858 to 1904, inclusive.</i>		31,876	18,819	46,695	—
GENERAL TOTAL,	5,353,930	3,107,948	1,905,660	4,043,608	—

* Based on the Census Returns of 1801, 1811, 1821, 1831, 1841, and 1851.

Ages of
Emigrants.

As regards the ages of the Emigrants, which are shown by Provinces in Table (IV.) of the text, it appears that 88·8 per cent. of the persons who left Ireland in 1904 were between the ages of fifteen and thirty-five years, the percentage over that age being 7·3, and of children under fifteen years 8·9. The corresponding percentages in 1903 for the three age-periods given above, were 80·9, 9·5, and 9·6 respectively. The percentage of the Emigrants in 1902, who were from fifteen to thirty-five years of age, was 81·3; in 1901 the percentage was 80·5; in 1900 it was 82·2; in 1899, 82·9; in 1898, 82·3; in 1897, 83·0; in 1896, 83·7; in 1895, 84·7; in 1894, 83·1; in 1893, 85·0; in 1892, 83·2; in 1891, 82·5; in 1890, 81·0; in 1889, 79·7; in 1888, 80·1; in 1887, 79·8; in 1886, 78·1; in 1885, 75·2; in 1884, 70·5; in 1883, 67·9; in 1882, 74·8; in 1881, 76·0; and in 1880, 75·7 per cent.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER and AGES of EMIGRANTS from each Province and from all Ireland, during 1904, also the proportion per cent. at each age-period.

AGES	LEINSTER		MUNSTER		ULSTER		CONNACTH		PERSONS BELONGING TO OTHER COUNTRIES — No. of Persons	TOTAL		
	Number of Persons	Proportion per cent. at each age-period	Number of Persons	Proportion per cent. at each age-period	Number of Persons	Proportion per cent. at each age-period	Number of Persons	Proportion per cent. at each age-period				
Under 1 year,	15	4·8	72	6·6	159	1·8	37	0·4	7	393	0·7	
1 and under 5	78	1·6	223	1·8	454	0·5	77	0·8	25	1,067	1·6	
5	18	274	61	500	4·0	858	0·7	329	3·4	55	9,043	5·4
10	22	2,513	534	8,909	70·7	4,620	45·7	7,563	74·5	106	33,120	42·9
15	21	1,284	384	3,160	17·2	3,848	37·6	1,269	14·5	149	7,805	20·9
20	14	399	67	241	2·6	568	5·7	187	2·1	59	1,465	3·8
25	84	199	22	239	1·8	267	2·8	187	1·4	17	715	2·1
30	35	87	88	67	0·7	65	0·8	40	0·4	3	251	0·7
35	60	23	67	65	0·5	69	0·6	37	0·6	—	159	0·5
40 and upwards	28	0·6	67	0·5	—	—	—	—	—	—	36	0·1
Age not specified	8	0·1	9	0·1	6	0·1	7	0·1	—	—	—	—
Total	6,517	100·0	13,006	100·0	10,156	100·0	9,633	100·0	813	37,815	100·0	

The Table at pages 8-9 shows the sex, number, age, and conjugal condition of the persons who emigrated from each county, and similar information regarding persons belonging to other countries, who embarked at Irish ports during the year 1904. The only quinquennial age-period in which the females greatly outnumbered the males is that between fifteen and twenty, when the number of females was 6,175, and of males 2,309. The quinquennial age-period 20-25 years, furnished the largest number of both male and female Emigrants—the persons of this age forming 40·2 per cent. of the entire number of Emigrants.

Of the males who emigrated, 17,524 in number, 1,527, or 8·7 per cent., were described as married men or widowers; and of the 19,891 females, 2,165, or 11·4 per cent., were returned as married or widowed. Of the 15,036 persons between the ages of 20 and 25 years, 290 only were married—66 males and 224 females.

The detailed Table on page 13 shows the destinations of the emigrants—natives of Ireland—from each county during the year 1904. From this it appears that 33,434, or 90·6 per cent. of the total emigrated to the Colonies or to Foreign Countries; and 3,468, or 9·4 per cent., to Great Britain. The United States of America received 30,580, or 82·9 per cent., of the number of these Emigrants in 1904, compared with an average of 34,223, or 83·0 per cent., for the four preceding years. The number of Emigrants to New Zealand in 1904 was 123 as compared with 67 in 1903. Emigration to Canada shows a considerable increase in 1904 compared with 1903, the numbers being 2,083 in 1904, and 1,493 in 1903. The Emigrants to Australia numbered 336 in 1904, against 380 in 1903, 496 in 1902, 595 in 1901, 834 in 1900, 1,005 in 1899, 837 in 1898, 676 in 1897, 545 in 1896, 629 in 1895, 457 in 1894, 511 in 1893, 1,216 in 1892, 1,821 in 1891, 2,338 in 1890, 3,038 in 1889, 3,110 in 1888, and 3,896 in 1887. The 312 persons who went to "Other Countries" last year, include 298 who went to South Africa, 6 to India, 3 to South America, 2 to Spain, 1 to Germany, 1 to Japan, and 1 to Belgium.

The Emigrants (natives of Ireland) to the United States in 1904 numbered 30,580. Of this total 12,033 were natives of Munster, 9,310 of Connacht, 5,669 of Ulster, and 3,568 of Leinster. Leinster contributed 132 of the 336 who left for Australia. Ulster furnished the largest contingent to Canada—1,538 out of a total of 2,083.

As compiled from the enumerators' returns the number of natives of Ireland who left Ireland during the year 1904, with the intention of settling permanently in Great Britain, was 3,468. Of these 2,011 left for England and Wales, and 1,457 for Scotland, the averages for four preceding years being 3,182 and 1,988 respectively; 65·6 per cent. of the number who went to England and Wales were Ulster people, and of the 1,457 who went to Scotland no less than 1,308 were also from Ulster, 688 of these being natives of the County of Antrim.

It may be defined that an "Emigrant" is a person who leaves Ireland with the intention of *settling permanently elsewhere*, and that the Enumerators are instructed to make a return of such persons for each passenger ship which sails from any port within their district.

TABLE V.—Showing the Destinations of the Emigrants—Natives of Ireland—who left during the years 1900, 1901, 1902, 1903, and 1904; the estimated Population in the middle of each of those years; the ratio of Emigrants to the Population; and the Proportion per cent. of the total number of Emigrants who left for each Destination.

Years	To the Colonies and Foreign Countries						To Great Britain			General Total	Estimated Population in the middle of each Year	Ratio of Emigrants to every 1,000 of the total number
	America (United States)	Australia	New Zealand	Canada	Other Countries	Total	England and Wales	Scotland	Total			
1900	37,755	834	64	452	105	32,299	4,123	1,927	6,050	45,288	4,468,801	10·1
1901	31,942	505	56	362	187	33,349	4,077	2,187	6,264	35,813	4,445,620	8·9
1902	33,883	496	74	752	487	32,473	2,690	2,028	4,718	40,190	4,452,274	9·1
1903	33,501	580	67	1,498	701	36,142	1,839	1,698	5,647	39,789	4,415,626	9·0
1904	30,580	326	125	3,083	812	35,484	2,911	1,657	5,468	36,903	4,402,168	8·4

PROPORTION PER CENT.												
1900	88·4	1·6	0·1	3·1	0·1	86·6	9·1	4·5	13·4	100·	—	—
1901	80·6	1·5	0·2	1·1	0·5	84·2	10·8	5·5	15·8	100·	—	—
1902	83·8	1·6	0·2	1·8	1·2	86·3	6·7	5·0	11·7	100·	—	—
1903	54·2	0·9	0·2	3·7	1·8	90·8	4·6	4·6	9·2	100·	—	—
1904	88·9	0·9	0·3	5·6	0·9	90·6	5·6	3·9	9·4	100·	—	—

The Table at page 13 shows also, in addition to the destinations of the Emigrants (natives of Ireland) in 1904, the population in 1901, and the ratio of Emigrants to every 1,000 of the population for each county and province. From this it will be seen that the highest Provincial rate was 14·9 per 1,000 of the population for Connacht; Munster came next with a rate of 11·7; the rates for Ulster and Leinster were respectively 6·4 and 3·9 per 1,000. The highest County rates were—Galway, 17·7; Clare, 15·7; Mayo, 15·6; Kerry, 15·4; Laois, 14·1; Sligo, 13·0; Longford, 12·8; Cork, 11·1; Waterford, 10·9; Limerick, 10·5; and Roscommon, 10·3.

The occupations and ages of the Emigrants of each sex in 1904 will be found in the Table on pages 10-11. From this it will be seen that of the 15,832 males aged 15 years and upwards, 9,915, or 62·6 per cent., were returned as "Labourers;" and of the 18,169 females of these ages, 12,971, or 76·9 per cent., were entered as "servants."

A Table showing the occupations and ages of Emigrants to the United States of America is given at page 12. Of the total number of such emigrants 28,755 travelled steerage, of whom 10,730 had their passages paid for in America, viz.:—404 in March Quarter, 5,204 in June Quarter, 3,218 in September Quarter, and 1,913 in December Quarter.

I have the honour to be

Your Excellency's faithful servant,

ROBERT E. MATHESON,

Registrar-General.

GENERAL REGISTER OFFICE,

Charlemont House, Dublin,

29th March, 1905.

DETAILED TABLES.

TABLE 1.—Showing, by Sexes, the Number and Ages of Persons who Emigrated from Ireland during the Year 1904, distinguishing the Conjugal Condition of Adults.

DETAILED TABLES.

TABLE I.—Showing, by Sexes, the Number and Ages of Persons who Emigrated from Ireland during the Year 1904, distinguishing the Confinal Condition of Adults.—continued.

TABLE 2.—Showing the OCCUPATIONS and AGES of MALES and

FEMALE EMIGRANTS who left Ireland during the year 1904.

TABLE 3.—Showing the Occupations and Ages of Male and Female Emigrants who left Ireland for the United States of America during the year 1904.

OCCUPATIONS	AGES					General Total	NATIONALITY				Persons bearing other nationalities		
							NATIONALITY OF IRELAND						
	Under 20 years	18 and under 30	30 and under 40	40 and under 50	50 and over		Irish	Welsh	Ulster	Connacht			
TOTAL MALES.	1,797	21,024	6,369	966	31	30,334	1,068	18,053	5,659	3,140	152		
TOTAL MALES.	354	9,018	3,330	380	9	13,600	1,192	8,697	2,840	2,140	98		
CLASSES.													
I.—Professional and Independent Class.													
II.—Middle Class.	37	93	9	—	—	40	35	33	6	3	8		
III.—Agricultural Class and Petty Shopkeepers.	1,000	1,055	165	165	—	1,126	732	1,024	562	20	20		
IV.—General Service Class.	439	265	55	—	—	595	329	329	84	37	37		
V.—Unskilled.	6,554	2,395	175	—	—	9,020	4,771	1,262	5,005	155	144		
I.—Professional and Independent Class —													
—Medical, Legal, and other Professions,													
—Confidence and Associates,													
II.—Middle Class —													
—Business and Accountants,													
—Domestic Servants,													
—Teachers,													
—Shopkeepers,													
—Shop Assistants,													
—Others.													
III.—Agricultural Class and Petty Shopkeepers —													
—Farmers and Dealers,													
—Blacksmiths,													
—Bakers and Bakers' Boys,													
—Butchers,													
—Bread and Butter makers,													
—Bakers,													
—Bakery,													
—Cabinet makers and Upholsterers,													
—Carpenters and Joiners,													
—Coach makers,													
—Carpets,													
—Cordwainers,													
—Cotton,													
—Tailors,													
—Hatters,													
—Hatters' Boys,													
—Hatters' Girls,													
—Hatters' Servants,													
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—Hatters' Servants' Servants' Servants,													
IV.—Unskilled.													
—Agriculture,													
—Labourers,													
—Gardeners,													
—Waiters,													
—Waiters and Waitresses,													
—Servants,													
—Shopkeepers and Shop assistants,													
—Shop assistants,													
—Shop assistants' Boys,													
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—Shop assistants' Servants' Girls,													
—Shop assistants' Servants' Servants,													
V.—Unskilled (including children).	630	55	5	5	—	800	255	805	869	180	24		
TOTAL FEMALES.	903	13,030	4,579	526	13	21,008	1,005	4,538	2,988	5,387	58		
CLASSES.													
I.—Professional and Independent Class.													
II.—Middle Class.	6	9	9	—	—	17	15	16	—	—	—		
III.—Agricultural Class and Petty Shopkeepers.	903	903	903	903	—	903	71	148	148	148	148		
IV.—General Service Class.	11,000	1,055	165	165	—	12,615	4,871	5,474	721	1,150	829		
V.—Unskilled.	903	903	903	903	—	903	—	—	—	—	—		
I.—Professional and Independent Class —													
—Ladies,													
II.—Middle Class —													
—Correspondence, Schoolmistresses, and Teachers,													
—Shopkeepers,													
—Shop assistants,													
III.—Agricultural Class and Petty Shopkeepers —													
—Domestic and Milkmen,													
—"Honest men,"													
—Bakemasters,													
—Bakers,													
—Bakers' Boys,													
—Bakers' Girls,													
—Bakers' Servants,													
IV.—General Service Class —													
—Farm Servants,													
—Gardeners,													
—Waiters,													
V.—Unskilled (including wives and children).	903	903	903	903	903	2,086	293	753	1,108	568	68		

TABLE 4.—Showing the Destinations of the Emigrants—Natives of Ireland—from each County* and Province* during the year 1904, and the number of Emigrants to every 1,000 of the Population, according to the Census of 1901.

From which County or Province	To Foreign Countries and the Colonies						To Great Britain			Greatest Total	Emigrants in 1904	No of Emigrants to every 1,000 of the 1901 Population
	United States	Australia	New Zealand	Canada	Other Countries	Total	England and Wales	Scotland	Total			
Carlow	228	8	—	19	5	250	3	—	3	220	87,745	67
Dublin	658	54	5	127	45	896	179	8	129	1,068	448,295	24
Kildare	136	4	—	25	44	204	3	3	6	122	68,165	56
Limerick	395	—	2	8	8	400	15	1	16	244	23,258	46
King's	229	1	—	3	—	232	3	—	3	207	60,182	56
Longford	272	6	—	19	7	300	5	2	7	190	46,873	28
Louth	197	8	1	36	4	238	30	11	31	287	65,820	44
Meath	231	10	—	24	3	258	20	8	28	205	67,497	48
Queen's	221	2	—	16	—	238	3	—	3	208	87,417	61
Waterford	254	9	—	97	1	400	2	—	2	455	81,919	71
Wexford	298	7	8	13	6	336	31	—	31	294	194,104	26
Wicklow	81	8	—	28	4	114	20	—	21	145	40,824	24
Total of Leinster	5,568	182	9	322	121	6,101	816	44	840	4,057	1,132,825	39
Clare	1,749	1	—	4	6	1,756	—	1	1	1,780	112,084	167
Cork	4,297	6	—	57	5	4,360	174	4	178	4,481	404,611	111
Kerry	2,479	19	—	34	8	2,811	22	2	24	2,845	265,725	184
Limerick	1,480	6	—	54	2	1,569	14	12	36	1,389	148,088	105
Fermanagh	1,524	18	5	31	7	1,815	38	18	56	1,846	160,022	84
Waterford	843	5	—	6	10	854	75	9	82	945	67,187	100
Total of Munster	12,093	55	9	126	35	12,254	321	41	362	12,606	1,670,188	137
Antrim	372	26	26	267	43	1,774	483	678	1,131	3,887	661,684	69
Armagh	421	8	3	156	19	578	139	316	395	814	155,322	65
Cavan	869	17	3	31	6	980	29	26	48	980	37,242	95
Donegal	1,082	2	17	47	3	1,175	1	61	62	1,197	175,723	74
Down	468	9	24	264	26	756	425	362	687	1,372	380,419	47
Fermanagh	594	3	9	71	—	846	31	16	37	346	60,420	76
Londonderry	507	7	15	184	12	741	72	196	253	1,000	144,000	69
Monaghan	815	1	9	32	2	857	48	31	84	601	74,611	62
Tyrone	745	16	7	304	5	867	306	68	376	1,023	160,487	74
Total of Ulster	12,869	91	109	1,138	179	2,409	1,219	1,304	2,927	10,124	1,549,876	64
Galway	3,854	31	—	29	8	4,035	9	4	18	3,495	188,549	177
Lefin	327	5	—	23	8	356	5	12	18	376	68,532	141
Mayo	3,064	18	—	31	9	3,163	39	22	51	3,198	159,266	856
Roscommon	1,039	6	—	7	1	1,046	3	1	4	1,047	161,793	908
Sligo	988	19	—	31	12	1,048	18	35	53	1,093	94,989	189
Total of Connacht	5,320	58	—	92	54	5,854	69	66	229	5,935	666,262	143
Total, Natives of Ireland	36,780	306	133	2,063	522	33,454	2,001	1,457	3,468	26,925	4,458,735	80

* As constituted under the Local Government (Ireland) Act, 1896.

Of the 312 Emigrants to "Other Countries," 109 were returned as having gone to South Africa, 2 to India, 3 to South America, 2 to Spain, 1 to Germany, 1 to Japan, and 1 to Belgium.

TABLE 5.—Showing the Number of Male and Female Emigrants—Natives of Ireland—who left Irish Ports during each decade of 100 years 1800-1900.

DUBLIN CASTLE,

30th March, 1905.

Sir,

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 29th instant, forwarding, for submission to His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant, the Emigration Statistics of Ireland for the year 1904.

I am,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

J. B. DOUGHERTY.

THE REGISTRAR-GENERAL,

CHARLEMONT HOUSE,

RUTLAND SQUARE,

EMIGRATION STATISTICS

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IRELAND

FOR THE YEAR

1904.

NUMBER AND TABLES SHOWING THE SITUATION, AGES,
CONJUGAL CONDITION, AND RESIDENCE OF
THE IMMIGRANTS FROM THE IRISH FREE STATE AND
PROVINCE OF IRELAND DURING THE YEAR 1904,
ALSO THE PROPORTION OF THE IMMIGRANTS
AND THE NUMBER OF IMMIGRANTS WHO LEFT
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